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THE COLLEGE GLEE CLUB SINGS AT G. M. C. CHAPEL

MISS TUCKER, DIRECTOR

Elinor Olliff's Composition a Special Feature.

Last week the College Glee Club visited G. M. C. for a special chapel exercise honoring Robert E. Lee. The club, under the direction of Miss Tucker, sang several selections, among them one written by a number of the Senior Normal class, Elinor Olliff from Bainbridge, Ga. It was received with much pleasure both at G. M. C. and G. S. C. where the club sang later in the day.

The following is G. S. C.'s tribute to Robert Edward Lee by Elinor Olliff:

ROBERT EDWARD LEE
God gave to man the sunshine
And the flow'rs of the brightest
hues,
He gave the glad rain
And the skies of clear blues,
Which will banish all sorrow and pain.
Then he answered the call of the
human,
In the hour of distress and of woes,
From the heaven of heroes
He sent us a man,
With a soul and a heart of pure
gold.

REFRAIN.
Just a song of love we will sing to
thee,

To you our Robert E. Lee,
With your pity, courage and friendliness

In the time of greatest distress,
As a great oak strivin in the wind.
So us new built he did send.
Not the South is safe for the dreams
and schemes,
And the hearts at peace with all.

It's a joy to be able and willing
To open our hearts with song,
For a man with a life,
With a purpose of right,
And a deep understanding of truth.
So we'll cherish the name of this
hero,
And in strength on and on we will go,
For our nation is one,
When it's all said and done,
There is no song so precious as
this.

FAMOUS TENOR APPEARS ON LYCEUM PROGRAM JAN. 22

The lyceum number, given at the auditorium Saturday night, January 22, was one of the most enjoyable of the entire season. Mr. Gunster, of New York city, entertained the G. S. C. W. girls with a delightful concert. Mr. Maertz, head of the music department at Wesleyan College, played Mr. Gunster's accompaniment. Mr. Maertz also played several piano solos. Mr. Gunster sang several classical numbers and popular numbers. The last part of his program was especially interesting. He impersonated an old darkey and sang several negro spirituals.

The entertainments to appear at G. S. C. W. during next month are very delightful. The play "The Old Homestead" will be staged here Tuesday, February 1st. The Emory Glee club has been scheduled to appear February 7th.

Mary Scott Brightwell, of Monticello, is now Mrs. Worth Sharpe, of Young Harris, Ga.

S. V. CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN ATHENS

FEBRUARY 11TH-13TH.

The annual conference of the State Student Volunteer Movement will be held at Athens Feb. 11-13, State Normal and University of Georgia entertaining.

The conference for this year is taking for the general theme for discussion the state slogan, "Missions—A Joint Responsibility." It is the purpose of the conference to bring together Student Volunteers and other Christian Students that they may consider missions as their common responsibility.

The Student Volunteer Movement is entirely concerned with foreign missions. Those students who are volunteers purpose to become foreign missionaries if God permit. To belong to such an organized group enables the individual volunteer to share more perfectly his vision of service with those who are thinking as he. Once a year the entire state organization assembles to share and learn more of the work for which they are preparing.

Students will gather from every college and University in the state to think together on their common purpose. A number of things have been planned to help students solve their problems both as individuals and as groups. Delegates are urged to have personal interviews with the conference leaders. Discussion groups and forums will be carried on under the leadership of both students and conference speakers. A book room where interesting and helpful books may be obtained will be open at all hours during the conference.

An attractive display of posters covering all phases of World Fellowship will aid students in presenting missions to their own campuses. A bulletin containing any special information, announcements and other matters of interest will be issued daily.

One of the most outstanding speakers for the conference is Dr. Milton L. Stauffer, Educational Secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement. It is Dr. Stauffer's desire to help Student Volunteers gain a clearer vision of the work they are going into and to become intimately acquainted with the particular field in which they are interested.

Dr. Y. H. Shabbaz, National Missionary of Persia, has an interesting message for everyone interested in missions in general and the Near East in particular. Dean T. H. Johnston, Episcopal Rector, Atlanta, Dr. W. F. Quillian, President Wesleyan College and Mr. John Knox, Professor at Emory University are among the other speakers for the conference. Brazil and India will be presented by Mr. D. L. Cheves and Mr. E. J. Anker. Mr. John Norris and Mr. J. C. Thoroughmon, of Emory, will be among the student speakers. The Y. M. C. A. will be represented by Mr. J. N. Bergthold.

Regional Secretary of Y. M. C. A. and Mr. E. L. Secret, Secretary of Y. M. C. A. at the University of Georgia.

The conference may be said to be a culmination of an entire year's work done by a very able executive committee consisting of the following volunteers: President, Miss Verna Scarborough, G. S. C. W.; Vice President, Miss Mary Health, Agnes Scott; Secretary, Miss Grace Taylor, G. S. C. W.; Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Dent, Wesleyan; Editor of "The Volunteer," John Stroud, Emory.

Dr. J. L. Beeson Now Executive Head G. S. C.



Dr. Beeson, Beloved Dean, who is Successor to the Late

Dr. M. M. Parks.

In answer to the call made by G. S. C. W. for a leader to carry on the work of our beloved late president, a most efficient, and highly esteemed man has taken charge. Already Dr. Jasper Luther Beeson has won the love and co-operation of every girl on the campus.

For thirty years Dr. Beeson has been serving this institution as head of the science department, and as some one has said, he already occupied the place in the hearts of the girls as one of our parents. Now as we have turned to him he is ever ready, waiting to serve, with the interest of the girls at heart, and faithfully working for the welfare and uplift of the college.

Dr. Beeson's father, Captain William Baker Beeson lived in Keener, Alabama, and served his state as Lieutenant of the Forty-ninth Alabama Regiment during the civil war. Captain Beeson's life is recorded in the "History of Alabama," and "Dictionary of Alabama Biography," and the "Memorial Record of Alabama."

Dr. Beeson was born at Keener, Alabama, August 30, 1867. Here he began his great intellectual career.

After finishing school in Keener he entered the University of Alabama, where he received the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1889, and the Master of Arts degree in 1890. In 1893 Dr. Beeson completed his college career, when he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from John Hopkins University.

During the years 1889-90 Dr. Beeson held the positions of instructor of physics at the University of Alabama, and Chemist of the Alabama Geological Survey. In 1893-7 he was research chemist at the Louisiana Experiment Station, and professor of chemistry in the Louisiana School of Sugar.

In 1897 Dr. Beeson came to the Georgia State College for Women, then G. N. & I. C. as professor of chemistry and physics. In this department he has served until his recent appointment to the presidency, with

LITERARY GUILD SPONSORS NEW MAGAZINE

FIRST ISSUE FEBRUARY 10TH.

"The Corinthian" to He a Student Project.

There has been a general feeling on the campus for a number of years that there is a great deal of latent literary talent which needs encouragement to reveal future poet laureates and noted authors. It remained for the Literary Guild to sponsor a project which will greatly aid in awaking these sleeping "women of letters." Plans for a literary magazine are beginning to materialize and the first edition is scheduled to appear about Feb. 10.

The Corinthian, as the Guild members called it, is to be a monthly magazine wholly given over to articles of a literary nature. It is not only an opportunity for the Guild members to display their talents but for any student on the campus who wishes to make a contribution. According to the Editor-in-Chief, Virginia McMichael, it is to be thoroughly representative of the entire campus and the staff would welcome essays, sketches, short stories, poems or any other literary effort from any department in the college.

There will be bits of History, reports from the Household Science department and reviews of any of the faculty's recent books. In an aspiring "literary light" could visualize a sketch from any of the faculty's "methods" that would be acceptable to the staff it would all go to make The Corinthian more attractive.

At a recent meeting of the Guild the following staff was elected: Editor-in-Chief, Virginia McMichael; Associate Editor, Martha Sams and Harlow Thompson; Literary Editor, Marianna Horne; Feature Editor, Decora Adams; Business Manager, Katherine Bagley; Assistant Business Manager, Eleanor Ennis; Circulation Manager, Betty Jane Pierratt. Miss Crowell is to act as advisory faculty member and Hazel Hogan serve as an honorary member of the staff.

This is a way in which a number of students will be able to make a valuable contribution to the campus. It will guarantee an opportunity for those who will come in after years to have their work recognized and appreciated, and aid them in their preparation for a greater reading public.

Y. W. C. A. PRESENTS "CHARM SCHOOL" AS INTERESTING FEATURE

Much interest has been created on the campus this week in the opening of the "Charm School."

In Parks' Hall on Wednesday a big poster read "Hard Hit at the Charm School." Thursday night in the assembly room many gathered to learn of its works. A play was presented. Beginning with a song, "All I Want Is Charming," sung by the Freshman choir, then lessons began. The teacher, Frances Thaxton, explained to her charm school. Namely to learn the things that go to make a charming person, or a charming personality.

The following points were given as those desirable gossip, do not chew gum, keep up with the "Times," and keep up with school work both

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DR. BEESON AT THE HELM.

In the great disaster that has come to our college through the death of Dr. Parks, we feel that we are peculiarly fortunate in having a member of the faculty who could immediately assume the duties of president with full knowledge of the situation and its problems. Dr. Jasper Luther Beeson has been professor of Chemistry in the Georgia State College for Women since 1897. For seven years with Dr. Chappell, and for twenty-three years with Dr. Parks, he has been intimately associated with the president in forming and executing the policies of the college. For sixteen years he has been Chairman of the Faculty, assuming the duties of the president in his temporary absence, and acting officially as president during Dr. Parks' leave of absence as State Superintendent of Education in 1922-23. Since 1925 he has been Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences. Thus, during almost the entire history of the college he has been the trusted friend and confidential adviser of the president, and knows the conditions better probably than any other person.

Dr. Beeson is a thorough scholar. As the consummation of his early training he received the Ph. D. degree in Chemistry from John Hopkins University in 1893, an institution famed then as now for its superior graduate work, especially in science. Since then, as research worker and as teacher he has kept in line with every new development in his field. In recognition of outstanding work in research he was elected a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. His scholastic attainments have also been recognized by being registered in American Men of Science and in "Who's Who." While in his teaching he has promoted the practical aims of the college, he has met every problem with the breadth and judgement if the thoroughly trained scholar.

Dr. Beeson is further qualified for the situation through his personal work in the public school system. Since 1920 he has been a member of the Baldwin County Board of Education, and has become thoroughly acquainted with the needs of rural schools. Largely through his influence the school system of this county has been reorganized. At present, through the establishment of consolidated schools and other changes, every child in the county is within reach of a senior high school. As far as conditions have permitted, the equipment and methods of the county schools have been brought up to the best normal standards.

As president of the Kiwanis Club of Milledgeville he directed the activities of that organization for 1924 in a large number of movements for the betterment of the city and county—prominent among which are the establishment of a Health Clinic, a clean-up campaign for the city, arrangements for the greater protection and comfort of tourists, and the promotion of the Boy Scout organization, and of the better care of the poor in the community.

In all of these responsibilities Dr. Beeson has worked quietly, but progressively and efficiently, towards ever higher and broader ideals for the college, the community and the county. His sterling character, his unbending integrity, his sound judgment, his sympathetic understanding, his kindly manner, his delightful humor, and his firm and steady dignity, are qualities which have endeared him to his colleagues, to his students, and have commanded the confidence of all who know him.

The Colonade congratulates the college on having his leadership and assures him of its loyal support. We are confident that the student body will stand by him firmly in maintaining the established standards of the college, and in following him in any forward movement which he may feel it necessary to promote.

ALUMNAE PLEDGE THEIR LOYALTY TO DR. BEESON.

Some one said the spirit of loyalty which lives in the hearts of every daughter of G. S. C. would ever keep this college one of the best loved throughout the South, and make her registration books overflow with eager Georgia girls. This loyalty to the Alma Mater is built around a great loyalty to the man who gave his life to G. S. C., and to a helpful, interested faculty who have made the hard paths easy.

At this time when another comes to take the place as head of the college he is assured of that same loyalty from every girl. Many have pledged him their co-operation individually but he has received a number of letters which tell him that as a group all will be true to him, the college, and the standards on which it is built. The following letter, representing the entire Alumnae Association, which numbers several thousand, came to Dr. Beeson that he would know they would "keep the faith."

My dear Dr. Beeson:

We, the members of the Association of the Alumnae and former students deem it only proper and appropriate that we express to you, our old and dear friend, the sentiment that we are at this time feeling.

In this hour of sorrow and necessity we turn to you as children would turn to the other parent upon the loss of one for the hearts of those who have known you, you have ever been held in warm affection.

It is with a feeling of appreciation that we learn of the action of the Board of Trustees in making you our leader knowing that you too are bearing our common grief and that to carry on the ideals and ambitions of him who has gone will be your desire and purpose.

Therefore we wish to assure you of our hearty and spontaneous cooperation in all your undertaking. Know that we stand back of you ever ready to serve and respect you wish-

THE SAYINGS OF SENIOR THE SAGE.

"Charm and thrift are the resulting natural phenomena, the by-products, as it were, of having stood, withstood, understood, and successfully outrun, overcome, and passed examinations," explained the aged Senior to her companion. The Freshman's youthful face, not yet seemed with educational cares, continued to wear a perplexed expression. She had been to chapel and had returned with the understanding that she must be thrifty, common sense required that. She had been to a session of Y. W. "Charm School" at a Vesper service and returned with an astonishing realization that to get any where in this world she must be charming—simple courtesy demanded that. Furthermore in every class that she had attended that day had been informed that she must stand final exams or flunk the course, dire necessity and her instructions insisted on that. Then the question arose in her brain, "How could one person do all three of those things at one and the same time? "Who ever heard of a person standing exams being charming? To carry the argument on who could be thrifty and charming simultaneously. There must surely be a mistake because those things were most glaringly incongruous.

Showing wisdom even in her youth she departed and sought an ancient bower. After the Seniors' deep and scientifically psychological reply she thought a minute and then said, "Good friend, explain the parable."

The wise Senior answered, saying, "Lo, for four years I have worked and studied here, and I have never yet seen a girl be charming after having flunked an exam; therefore, unless exams if you desire to be charming. To flunk an exam means to take it over, possibly to take the course again, many wasted sighs and salt tears—therefore if you would be thrifty pass your exams." So saying the gentle geer gathered her dark robe around her and passed on.

BOOKS AND READING

By Gertrude Anderson, Librarian. Some of the new books and magazine articles in the library are well worth reading. Here are a few:
Books—Novels.

Linda Condon by Joseph Hergesheimer.

My Antonia by Willa Cather.
Tono Bungy by H. G. Wells.
Red Badge of Courage by Stephen Crane.

Nigger of Narcissus by Joseph Conrad.

Vandermark's Folly by Herbert O Human Bondage by W. Somerset Maugham.

Ethan Frome by Edith Wharton.
Forsyth Saga by John Galsworthy.
Domrei by James Branch Cabell.

Miss LuLu Bett by Zona Gale.

Magazine Articles of Interest.

Government.

America and the Permanent Court of International Justice in World Peace Foundation Pamphlet No. 8.

Our Policy in Nicaragua in Outlook, January 19, 1927.

Way Out of the Mexican Muddle in New Republic, January 19, 1927.

Fall-Doheny Verdict by J. M. Landis in New Republic, January 19, 1927.

Smith in 1928 by Frank R. Kent, in Nation, January 19, 1927.

Sociology.

Democracy and Child Labor in the American Child, January, 1927.

What Is Social Thinking by Edward C. Lindeman in Scholastic, January 22, 1927.

Economics.

Lesson of the Cotton Surplus in New Republic, January 12, 1927.

Gertrude Horne Hutchinson

Olive Bell Davis,

Frances Compton Binnion,

Ruth Stone,

Rebecca Little McKinley,

Edith Carr Tigner,

Eloise Rozier Turner,

Hattie Tolbert Cooper,

Faithfully,

William Thomas Bone,

Gertrude Horne Hutchinson

Olive Bell Davis,

Frances Compton Binnion,

Ruth Stone,

Rebecca Little McKinley,

Dana C. Munro in American Historical Review, January, 1927.

Music in the Kindergarten by Susan T. Canfield in Childhood Education, January, 1927.

Mathematics in Methods in Mathematics Teacher, November, 1925.

Roman History Before Caesar by Tennyson in American Historical Review, January, 1927.

Science.

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ALUMNAE NEWS.

Attention! Members of the Alumnae of G. S. C.! The girls here are interested in you in what you are doing. Won't you keep in touch with your Alma Mater by writing to the Alumnae Committee of the Y. W. C. A. or to the Alumnae Editor of "The Colonnade?" We're counting on you Alumnae.

Eula Kate Branen, formerly of Camilla, is now Mrs. Lenton Holcomb, of Tate, Ga.

Margaret Hawkins, '26, is teaching at Calhoun, Ga.

Mary Whitaker, '26, is teaching in Hood's chapel school at Blythe, Ga.

Elvin Hatfield, '26, is teaching at Mago, Fla.

Sadie Hutchinson is teaching at Tucker, Ga.

Avaine Bowles, '26, is teaching at Gay, Ga.

Reba Perry, '26, is teaching at Mena, Ga.

Nellie Mae Allen, '25, formerly of Quitman, is now Mrs. R. R. Killinger, of Jacksonville, Ga.

Georgia Christopher, '24, is now Mrs. E. L. England, of Cairo, Ga.

Mary Vaughan, '25, is teaching at Gay, Ga.

Nora Davis, '24, is now Mrs. Grady E. Pilcher, of Columbus, Ga.

Hilda Brim, '24, formerly of Dawson, is now Mrs. S. L. Dedman, of Columbus, Ga.

Minnie Lee Ward, '23, is now Mrs. Henry Power of Comer, Ga.

Sarah Tuck, '23, is now Mrs. S. T. Nance, of Arlington, Ga.

Rebie Walling is Mrs. G. H. Yeomans, of Collins, Ga.

Rebecca Crowder, '23, is now Mrs. Walter F. Hester, of Hendersonville, N. C.

9. Artie Belle Carter, '21, is Mrs. Jere Lowe, of Macon, Ga.

Cornelia Roberts, '26, is teaching in one of the schools at Andalusia, Ala.

Beatrice Chafin, '26, is teaching at Belmont, N. C.

Hazel Irene Roberts, '25, is now Mrs. W. N. Peel, of Mt. Tabor, N. C.

Esther Pierce, '25, is now Mrs. L. W. Pulus, of Atlanta.

Ruth Parker is now Mrs. Philby Perkins and is working in Miami, Fla.

Sara Florine Williams, '23, is now Mrs. Wm. C. Hubbard, of Newnan, Ga.

Marytie Hunt is teaching at Bainbridge, Ga.

Thelma Bryant, '26, is teaching at Griffin, Ga.

Elma Jones is teaching at Chattanooga, Tenn.

State Cotton by A. Sellew Roberts in American Historical Review, January, 1927.

World Affairs.

China's War of Independence in Nation, January 19, 1927.

America in Europe by Henrik van Loon in Nation, January 19, 1927.

Sino-Belgian Treaty in Nation, January 19, 1927.

Ethnic Friction by Richard Lee Stout in Independent, January 22, 1927.

The League and the Panama Treaty by Rudolph Pintner in Journal of Educational Psychology, January, 1927.

High School Annual by Carl G. Miller in Scholastic, January 22, 1927.

Religion.

Religion of the Campus in Christian Century, January 18, 1927.

Student Conference at Milwaukee in Christian Century, January 13, 1927.

Whose Land—Whose Rubber by V. G. Bunnan in Nation, January 5, 1927.

Cost of the British Coal Strike in Nation, January 5, 1927.

Challenge of the Non-Christian World in Missionary Review of the World, January, 1927.

Literature.

Poet of Georgia in Nation, January 19, 1927.

Mussolini Chokes the Press by B. Salvemini in Nation, January 12, 1927.

Poem in the Crucible by Theodore Morrison in Independent, January 22, 1927.

How to Write a Short Story by Percival Hunt in Scholastic, January 22, 1927.

Joseph Conrad's American Notes and Thoughts on Life in World's Work, February, 1927.

Poor Richard by Moran Tundury in Bookman, January, 1927.

The Real Musketeers by Herbert S. Gorman in Bookman, January, 1927.

Science.

Lesson of the Cotton Surplus in New Republic, January 12, 1927.

Home Economics for High School Boys in January, 1927.

Music in the Kindergarten by Susan T. Canfield in Childhood Education, January, 1927.

Mathematics in Methods in Mathematics Teacher, November, 1925.

Roman History Before Caesar by Tennyson in American Historical Review, January, 1927.

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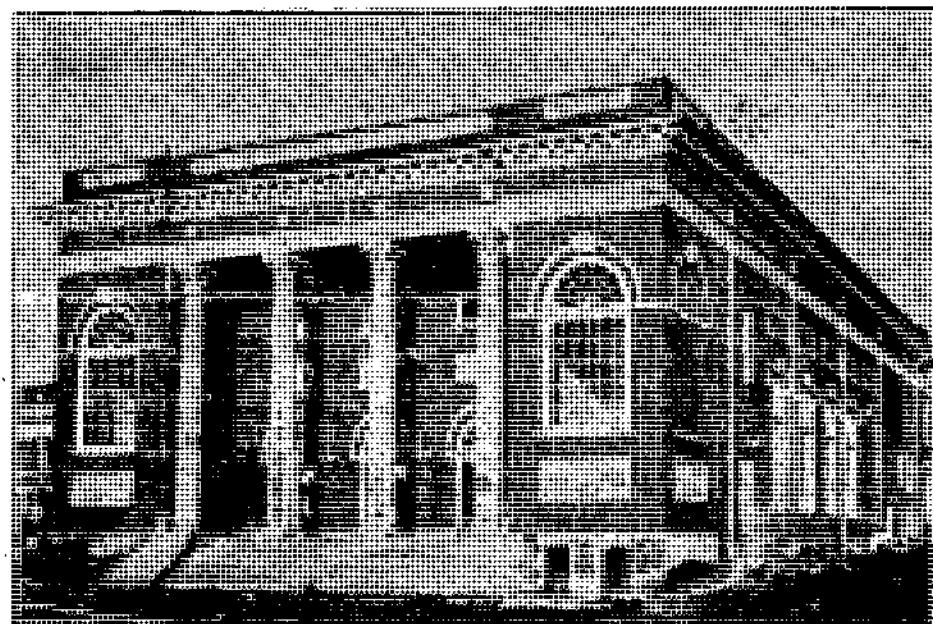
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EXCHANGE

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN'S new municipal stadium will be completed in time for the football season of '27. The total cost of it will be around a quarter of a million and will cover ten acres, seating 25,000 people.

Such a memorial should doubtless be erected, and the suggestion that it adorn the campus grounds is to my mind most graceful and fitting.

Buildings Which Were Added To G. S. C's. Campus During Dr. Parks' Administration

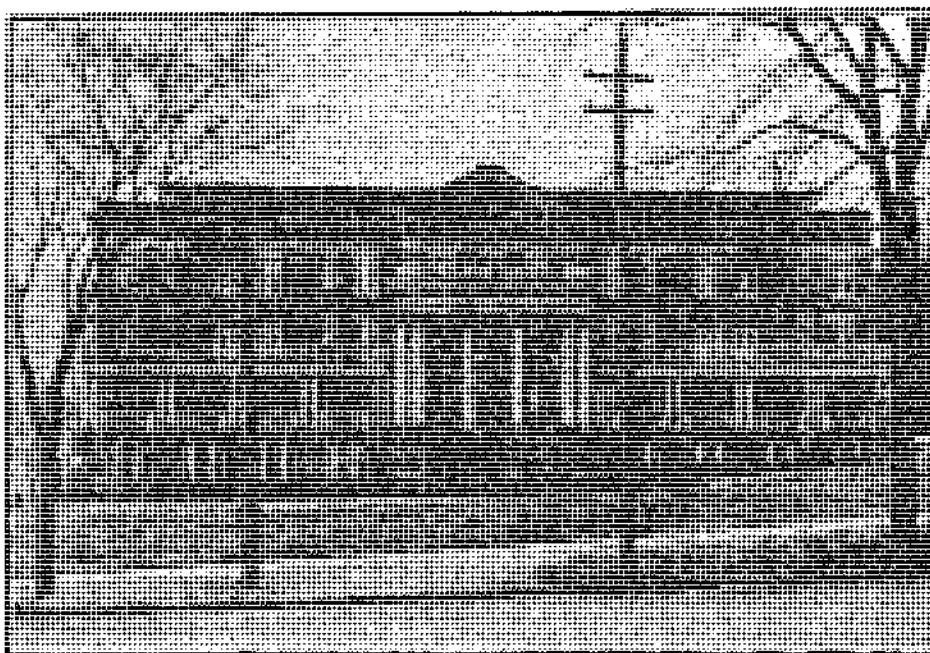


Ennis Hall

Ennis Hall one of the three beautiful dormitories which were built during Dr. Parks' administration and the building was personally planned by him.

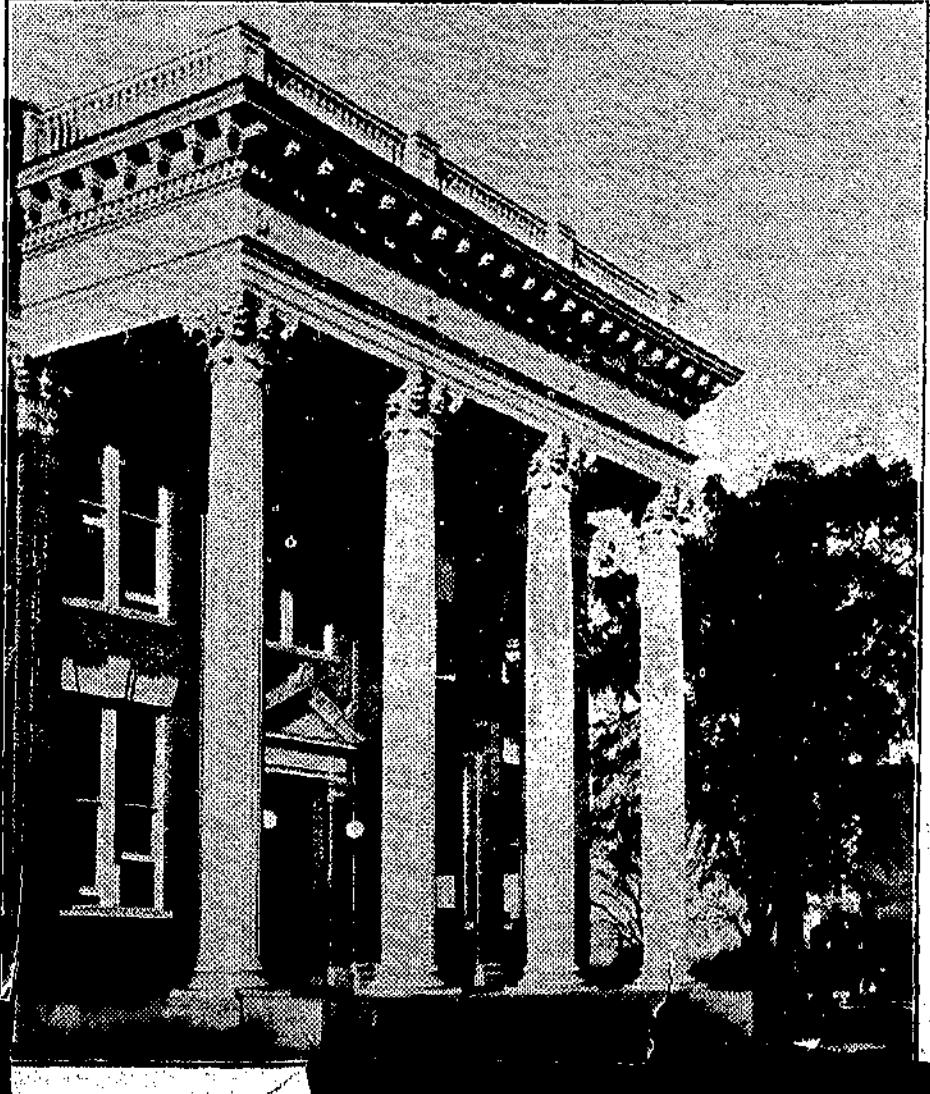
The New Auditorium

The New Auditorium which was the last to be finished, and which is under discussion to be named the "Parks Memorial Auditorium."



Panoramic View Of Buildings

A portion of the campus, looking west from Terrell Hall showing Terrell Hall, Parks Hall (now being used as the Administration building), the Class Room Building and Chapel Hall, all built under Dr. Parks' supervision.



The Class Room Building

The Class Room Building, which is one best equipped buildings of its kind in the South.